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## Oxford County Farmers Farm and Home Speakers

The 43d annual Farm and Home Week will be held at University of Maine, Orono, April 3-6. Reservations may be made with Philip S. Parsons at the University, and programs may be secured from him or from the Extension Service Office in South Paris.

Many prominent Oxford County farmers are on the program.

William Chapman, Bethel, is one of the speakers on the Beef Cattle Feeding and Management panel to be held Tuesday afternoon, April 4. Mr. Chapman has around 35 head of registered Shorthorns. He has built this herd up to where many foundation animals from his herd may be found in many parts of the state. He is noted for his quality roughage and state of fertility of his land. He also has potatoes and sweet corn as crops. Mr. Chapman has been village corporation assessor; president, local Lions club and Chamber of Commerce; Master of Masonic lodge; a member of the Farm Bureau Executive Committee; and is chairman of the community PMA Committee; was a 4-H Club leader, and has been president of the Maine Shorthorn Breeders' Association.

Wilson Morse, Waterford, will be on a panel discussion concerning Apple Orchard Fertilization, Tuesday morning, April 4. Mr. Morse has about 2,000 trees, mostly McIntosh and Cortland. He worked with his father as Frank H. Morse & Son on a dairy farm which was completely turned to apples in 1931. Mr. Morse's son, Frank H. Morse, second, joined the farm in 1940. They have renovated farm buildings as far as he is able to store eight to twenty thousand bushels of apples. Mr. Morse is the president of the New York-New England Apple Institute and a director of the National Apple Institute. He is a former president of the Maine Pomological Society, and a former member of the Agricultural Advisory Committee at the University of Maine. He is a local school board member and first selectman in Waterford. He is former chairman of the Oxford County United Farm and Home Week, and an ex-moderator of the Congressional Conference. Mr. Morse was named an Outstanding Maine Farmer in 1949. He was one of the first to start cellophane packaging of apples—he started with a home-made packager and has now converted a bread wrapper.

### PURCHASE AND USE OF EASTER SEALS URGED BY SOCIETY

"Maine people are doing their pre-Easter planning with real thought for something that will keep its value all year long: care for our crippled children," according to Mrs. Burton L. Preston, Executive Director of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc., in a recent interview. "This year our friends and even people who know us only slightly have devised ways to assure continuance of the work the Society does for children and adults suffering from cerebral palsy, amputations, osteomyelitis, poliomyelitis, etc."

Listing events that have already taken place as well as several scheduled for the next few weeks, Mrs. Preston mentioned a Fashion Show in Portland, a benefit Bridge and Tea given at the Governor's Mansion in Augusta, a Square Dance by the Topsham Grange and a benefit supper served before the Town Meeting in Dixfield.

Still to come are a tea on Palm Sunday, an Easter Ball in Skowhegan and a mammoth Square Dance in Bethel, the latter to be held on April 14th.

"It always amazes people to find out how much they can enjoy doing something for the benefit of other people who cannot do it themselves—like square dancing. They have fun and the hundreds of orthopedically handicapped children who depend on us for treatment are able to learn to walk," Mrs. Preston said.

Asked specifically what portion of the money from the Sale of Easter Seals is used to help children in the State of Maine, Mrs. Preston explained that, "92% stays in Maine and the other 8% is used by the National Society for research, education and consultation to State Societies such as ours. They help us plan our program and give us the benefit of the experience of 51 similar societies throughout the nation."

More than 450 local chairmen in the state cover every town, some chairmen serving neighboring com-

### NOYES WINS BAUSCH & LOMB AWARD AT GOULD FOR 1950

Elwood F. Ireland, principal of Gould Academy, announces that Merle R. Noyes, is the 1950 winner of the Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award Medal for achieving the highest scholastic record in science subjects during his high school course. Only winners of this award are eligible to compete for four scholarships sponsored by Bausch & Lomb Optical Co. at the University of Rochester.

The Science Award Medal is presented upon graduation. However, the winner must be selected at an early date because applications for Bausch & Lomb Scholarships must be filed on or before March 10. The choice of the winner is based upon scholastic achievement in science subjects, with incidental consideration of records in other subjects, qualities of leadership, and extra-curricular activities.

The Honorary Science Award Medal was instituted in 1932. It is presented in thousands of secondary schools throughout the country. The Bausch & Lomb Science Scholarships were established in 1944. The four Scholarships have a value of \$1,500 each.

Both the Science Award and the Scholarship Program have been officially approved by the National Association of Secondary School Principals and educators throughout the country. They are recognized as significant evidence of scholastic aptitude and have proved the means of encouraging countless young people to the consideration of scientific careers.

### GUILD TO SERVE EASTER BREAKFAST

The members of the Ladies Club were guests at the meeting of the Guild at the home of Mrs. A. Van Van Den Kerkhof Wednesday evening. A selection, "Easter Tradition," was read by Mrs. Elwood Ireland. The program included a Preview of Spring Fashions by Mrs. Grace MacFarlane and Mrs. Lucile Tinkander, with Mrs. John Howe as commentator and Mrs. Laurence Lord pianist.

An Easter breakfast will be held at the Congregational Church Easter morning at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Ruth Dorion is chairman of the breakfast committee which includes Mrs. Katharine Adams, Mrs. Violet Bennett and Mrs. Errol Donahue. Miss Helen Varner will be in charge of the dining room assisted by five girls as waitresses. Tickets will be sold by a committee headed by Mrs. Grace MacFarlane.

The next meeting, on April 12, will be a work meeting at the church, to which members will bring ideas and materials for the Summer Sale.

### SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE

Sunset Rebekah Lodge met Monday evening. The date of the public supper, sponsored by the lodge was set for March 29. Committees for the supper are: supper, Mrs. Errol Donahue; Mrs. Carl Brown; Mrs. Clayton Mills; tickets, Miss Beatrice Brown; waitresses, Mrs. Walter Jodrey; dining room, Mrs. Henry Godwin; Mrs. Gerald Kneeland; Mrs. Loton Hutchinson. It was voted to have a supper at the district meeting April 22.

The final game party will be held at the hall on April 4 with a supper at 6:30. Committees in charge are: supper, Mrs. Ruth Dorion; Mrs. Errol Donahue; Mrs. Clayton Mills; Mrs. Katharine Adams; dining room, Miss Beatrice Brown; Mrs. Henry Godwin; Mrs. Vernon Brown.

The next meeting will be held April 3 with an observance of the birthday of Schuyler Colfax, founder of the Rebekah organization. Mrs. Chester Briggs will be in charge of the program.

A game party was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Paine with nine tables in play. Hostesses were Miss Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Bert Brown, Mrs. Katharine Adams, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mrs. Robert Davis, Mrs. Frederick Kneeland, Mrs. Walter Jodrey, and Mrs. Paine. Prizes were awarded as follows: whist, first, Mrs. Harold Rolfe; Miss Alice Bennett; Charles Reed; consolation, Harold Rolfe; Mrs. Fred Wheeler; Mrs. Bert Brown; Canasta, high, Mrs. Roscoe Trull; Lawrence Sanders; consolation, Mrs. Leland Brown; Frederick Kneeland; Bridge, first, Charles Kneale; Mrs. Robert Lord; Mrs. Herbert Howe; Wallace Sanders; consolation, Mrs. Francis Noyes; Mrs. Laurence Lord; Mrs. Noyes and Mrs. Wallace Sanders.

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### LIONS POVERTY BALL NEXT THURSDAY EVENING

On Thursday evening, March 30, in the William Bingham Gym, the Bethel Lions Club will hold a public dance and card party, designated as a Poverty Ball, and aimed right at the heart of those citizens, young and old, who like to dance, play canasta, bridge, whist, or old maids. At a Poverty Ball, everyone should dress like most of us feel after Uncle Sam has taken us to the cleaners, on March 15—that is, if not exactly in sackcloth and ashes, at least the nearest thing to it. Rags and patches, holey shoes, pathetic pants, dragged dresses, awarthy sweat shirts, and whiskered physogs, may all be worn with impunity and savior faire.

There will be a door prize, and prizes for the most disreputable lady and gent. Lord's orchestra will give with the be-bop, the swing, the Charleston, and the bunny hug. The Lions are putting their paws out especially in the direction of the young crowd home on vacation from college, while shaking a coy mane in the direction of the married couples, young and old, who maintain the balanced home life of our town. The tickets are sold on a "twosome" basis, one ticket admitting a him and a her.

Every Lion has several tickets which he is just in a tropical persuasion to sell. Dale Thurston, official tall twister, is ticket chairman. It's a dead sure thing that at such a party, "the crowd's the thing," and makes its own good time. All net proceeds go right back into worthy Bethel channels from the Lions Activity Fund, which means glasses for deserving Bethel boys and girls—SO—why not come to one of the few public good times, dances and card parties held in Bethel, trip the light fantastic, bid seven no trump, relax in the oldest duds you can scrape on your frame, give the girl friend a peppy evening? If a lame Lion fails to approach you, come just the same—tickets will be on sale at the door on this evening of fun, frolic, festivity, and general whoop-dee-doo.

### ASSESSORS' NOTICE

The Assessors of the Town of Bethel hereby give notice to all persons liable to taxation in said Town, that they will be in session at the Selectmen's Office in said Town, on the first day of April, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of receiving lists of the polls and estates taxable in said town.

All such persons are hereby notified to make and bring to said Assessors true and perfect lists of their polls and all their estates real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, which they were possessed of, or which they held as guardian, executor, administrator, trustee, or otherwise on the first day of April, 1950, and be prepared to make an oath to the truth of the same.

When estates of persons deceased have been divided during the past year, or have changed hands from any cause, the executor, administrator or other persons interested, are hereby warned to give notice of said change and in default of such notice will be held under the law to pay the tax assessed although such estate has been wholly distributed and paid over.

Any person who neglects to comply with this notice will be DEEMED to a tax according to the laws of the state, and be barred of the right to make application to the Assessors or County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes unless he offers such lists with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time hereby appointed.

Special Notice to Veterans—All Veterans who may consider themselves exempt from Poll and or Property tax MUST substantiate their claims by presenting a certificate from the VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION showing the extent of their disability and compensation as of April 1, 1950. These certificates MUST be presented at the Office of the Assessors (Selectmen's Office) before the close of business on April 1, 1950, otherwise the tax will be assessed.

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Assessors, Town of Bethel  
Bethel, Maine, March 23, 1950 13

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### DANA C. PHILBROOK

Dana C. Philbrook died early Wednesday morning at his home on Mechanic Street after several years of failing health.

He was born in Bethel April 26, 1871, the son of Samuel D. and Emily J. Philbrook. He was educated in the local schools, Gould Academy, and the Waltham Horological School.

On June 3, 1896, Mr. Philbrook was married to Miss Grace Merrill. He was engaged in the watch repairing business for many years. He was a member of Bethel Lodge, F. and A. M.

Besides his wife he is survived by a son, Clarence D., of Schenectady, N. Y.; a daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Jackson, of North Easton, Mass.; two granddaughters; and a sister, Mrs. Edward King, of Fellsme, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at the Greenleaf funeral home at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. K. W. Hawthorne officiating.

### BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Sadye Robertson has employment at Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dexter spent the week end at Damariscotta.

Read the Bosserman's Pharmacy ad in this issue.

Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf attended the Flower Show in Boston last week.

Mrs. Mildred Wilbur underwent surgery at the Rumford hospital Tuesday.

Jerry Davis, a student at Springfield College, is at his home for a vacation.

Mrs. Harry Mason spent last week in Boston and attended the flower show.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clunie spent the week end at their home in Damariscotta.

Jason Smith has returned from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where he was a surgical patient.

Miss Alice Bennett, teacher at Bar Harbor, is enjoying a week's vacation at her home here.

Arthur Morgan was a patient at the Pratt Diagnostic Hospital, Boston, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sweetser of Bethel have purchased the new home of Avon Virge on Vernon Street.

Local collectors for the Red Cross drive are asked to leave their collections at the Ruth Carver Ames office.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana G. Brooks and Dr. Grover Brooks attended the Sportsman's Show at Portland Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames, Nancy and Catherine Carver left Monday to spend several weeks on a vacation trip to Florida.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thurston, who has spent the winter at Pineville, Fla., returned Wednesday to her home on Mechanic Street.

Cynthia and Charlie Chayer of South Weymouth, Mass., are guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Lowell.

Cpl. Herbert Lyon returned Sunday to Seattle, Wash., after spending a month with relatives here. He will leave soon for duty in Japan.

The Preview of Spring will be presented again on Tuesday evening, March 28, at 8 o'clock for members of the WSCS and the Eleanor Gordon Guild.

The next regular meeting of Bear River Grange, No. 255, will be held Saturday evening, April 1. The first and second degrees will be worked at this time.

A delegation from the Bethel Players will be guests of the Penryn Players at Norway next Tuesday evening. The visit will be returned later in the spring.

Roe Toothaker, local game warden left Monday for three weeks at Warden's School at Camp Keyes, Augusta. Mrs. Toothaker is visiting relatives at Houlton.

Charles E. Cross came for his mother, who has spent three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Rice, and family Monday to return to her home at Locks Mills.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett were Edward Hutchinson of Brandon, Vt., Charles Hutchins of Crown Point, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Chester French of Norway.

Lee Carver, a freshman at Yale University, was on the Dean's List recently announced. On the Dean's List at the University of Maine are Miss Marilyn Noyes and Richard O. Emmons.

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### 10 KILLED ON MAINE HIGHWAYS IN FEB.

Ten persons were killed as the result of eight motor vehicle traffic accidents in Maine during February. Eight of this total occurred in rural areas. The two urban deaths were the result of auto-train collisions as also were two of the eight rural deaths.

Total deaths for the first two months of this year were exactly the same as last year but rural deaths showed an increase of 22% and urban deaths a decrease of 20%.

For the first time on record there were no pedestrians killed during the month of February. We might, however, take warning from this and make certain that the next pedestrian killed—and the law of averages says this time is not too far distant—will not be you.

Five of the persons killed were passengers—four were drivers and one was a sliding death.

Accidents generally have increased during the first two months of this year. Those investigated by the State Police have increased 26% and the reports from individual drivers is also up by 17%.

Hazardous driving conditions, created by snow and ice, have lasted for a much longer period this winter than in 1949.

This, however, has not been the sole cause of our accident increase.

Poor judgment and driving too fast for conditions on the part of many of our Maine drivers is mostly the reason. Too many drivers are not assuming the responsibility that should go with the operation of a motor vehicle when on a public way. Inattention on the part of drivers is evidenced by the undue increase in railroad accidents.

Twenty-one of these accidents resulting in six deaths have occurred this year and practically all in locations with which the drivers were thoroughly familiar. This can mean only thoughtlessness or inattention on the part of the drivers. We should all benefit by these tragedies and resolve on our part to be alert and to be good drivers. The good driver's actions indicate a respect for his own life, and above all, for the lives of others.

Sgt. John deWinter, Director, Division of Traffic and Safety, Maine State Police.

### COLLECTING CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

People wishing to donate clothing or household goods for the family of George Wight of Upton, who lost everything when their home was burned Monday, are asked to have the same at the Bethel Red & White store. All donations will be delivered to the Wight family.

### MAINE SPORTS SHOWS FEATURING FISHERIES EXHIBITS

The exhibits of the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries which have been on display at Sportsman's shows in Boston, New York and Chicago during the past two months returned to Maine last week to participate in similar shows in five Maine cities, Robert L. Dow of the Department announced.

The first was at the Rumford Sports Show, March 16th through 18th. This exhibit displayed the Maine coast in relief with each lighthouse electrically illuminated. Various types of salt water fishing tackle were also shown. Later this exhibit will be moved to the Brunswick Show which will run from March 26th through April 1st.

Assigned to the Rumford Show were Coastal Warden John Anderson of Kennebunk and Thomas Varnum of Boothbay Harbor, at Brunswick will be Warden Supervisor Warren Hume of Boothbay Harbor and Warden James Thurston of Bath.

At the Portland Sportsman's and Boat Show, which runs from March 24th through 25th, will be the exhibit which depicts a section of the Maine coast including a lighthouse and a fisherman's boat.

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### BEANO GAME

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### LOOKING AHEAD

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#### The Leopard's "Free" Lunch

There upon a time there lived in the jungles of northern India a handsome young leopard. He roamed the dense virgin forests, swift and happy with a zest for living and with a love of freedom which is intense in all members of the animal kingdom, including man. When he had learned to take care of himself against the elements and jungle dangers, there remained for him only one problem: food.

Early in the morning he learned to forage for his breakfast and supper. He learned too that appealing hunger didn't come easily. This always required physical exertion, and the use of his paws and intelligence. He learned to find out what he could eat, and to make the most of it.

Something for Nothing. The leopard's character in the forest is a character in the human world. He is a character in the human world. He is a character in the human world. He is a character in the human world.

At the side of a clearing the leopard came upon the most it was a rich and thick collection of things to be taken. The leopard's character in the forest is a character in the human world. He is a character in the human world. He is a character in the human world.

Later one afternoon, driven by the heat of the day, the leopard made a single mistake. He stepped on a single trap set for him. He was caught. He was caught. He was caught.

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## DALE CARNEGIE

AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING"

### "Smiling Through"

THIS STORY IS ABOUT a sick girl for whom the doctor prescribed work. Yes, she was thinking too much about herself and was on the verge of a nervous breakdown. More and more, doctors are coming to doctoring the mind as well as—and often instead of—the body.

This girl is named Joan Moryike, and she lives in Waterbury, Conn. She had not worked for nearly a year when her doctor diagnosed her case and gave her the above advice. She looked upon herself as too sick to go to work, and this made the doctor seem a hard-hearted sort of a guy, or it would have had he not also seemed to have her real interest at heart. So she got a job and it wasn't long before she actually felt better, as the doctor had said she would.



Carnegie

After working six months, she found a note in her pay envelope one day saying that due to government cancellations of orders, she was being laid off. She knew this was not the true reason for her discharge, for she worked in the sample department, and she knew what orders came in.

She decided to have a talk with the boss and find out the real reason for them laying her off. He looked at her closely, and kindly, then said, "Well, Joan, I'll tell you; you never smile. We like to have happy people around here for when one employee is unhappy, or disgruntled the other employees are affected. An unhappy worker is sure to mean poor work in the long run. And we can't afford it."

Maybe that explanation didn't come as a big surprise. Joan had never thought of her unhappiness affecting anyone but herself. But she could readily see that it might, now that she analyzed her situation. So she got to work to learn the way out of the dense woods in which she found herself.

One of the first things she ran across at the library was an article on smiling, the effect it had on others, as well as on the one who did the smiling. She began smiling at those she met. She liked the responses she got. She says never again will she look out because she doesn't look at the happy side of life, and smile her way through.

## THIS WEEK IN Washington

Continued from page 1. The big union labor leaders are always telling our representatives in Congress what they intend to do to them at election time unless they vote to please labor, regardless of the interests of the rest of the Americans.

Now why don't we show their majesties, Lewis, Reuther, Murray, Green, etc., at the coming elections in November, how we feel about their congressmen, especially those who forget to remember 150 million Americans who are not masters of labor unions? And, incidentally, this 150 million includes the union members and their families, who suffer as much from the ambitions of their masters as do the rest of us.

King John has just illustrated his complete mastery over his minions, and after a long period of strife has demonstrated his power to cut off their livelihood without reducing his well-fed body or—as far as we know—lowering the quality of his cigars.

But let us talk about ourselves. Why must the 150 million who own this country submit to the discomfort and indignity which this man periodically heaps upon them? The answer is simple. Too many Americans vote carelessly or don't vote.

If every voter took the trouble to find out about the men who are running for office in his district, we would have a congress composed, for the most part, of very high-class citizens, who would not fear to pass laws which would make impossible the fleece of a great nation, submitting to the whims of a tiny handful of ambitious men.

Labor leaders threaten again to put from public office the men who will not vote to destroy the Taft-Hartley law. We, the people, for the preservation of our freedom, must insist that our representatives introduce a law as much stronger than that composed by Taft and Hartley that there will be no possible loophole.

### VOTING OURSELVES INTO EDEN

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The Maine Agricultural Experiment Station has many projects underway which will result in better farming and homemaking in the Pine Tree State.

Some 1,500 voluntary county and community leaders helped forward the Extension Service program in its communities organized for that work in 1948-49.

Notice of Lost Bank Book. Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank has been notified that book of deposit issued by said bank and numbered 515 has been destroyed or lost and it is declared that a new book be issued.

Bethel Savings Bank  
By D. Grover Brooks, Treasurer  
Bethel, Maine

## TWENTIETH CENTURY ATLAS, MOSCOW VERSION



### ABOVE THE HULLABALOO

By LYLE HULL

#### FOOL-PROOF TAFT-HARTLEY LAW

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### Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1 To prevent

4 Land measure

6 Russian

11 Garb

13 Unit of electrical current

15 Freedom

16 Parish

18 Clergyman

19 Mrs. Mac

21 Roman chapter

22 Italian for "sea"

23 Peace officer

24 Hermit

25 Jest

31 To guide

33 Colloquial

34 Father

35 Mother

36 Pen or name

37 Half an egg

40 Brother of John

41 Phases

42 Subsequent

43 Ancient

47 Gears

50 Soap

52 Ancient rock

53 List of Irish names

54 Revert

56 Footless animal

58 Musical drama

60 Polynesian

61 Elevated railway

62 Snake

63 Struck

64 With wonder

65 Went

66 Toward

67 Also

VERTICAL

1 Tibetan street

2 Detail

3 French for "head"

4 To ascend

5 To happen again

6 Water bottles

7 Part of "to be"

8 Two of the 12 family

9 Fine line of a letter

10 Fleaworm

12 Fear

14 Man's nickname

15 Hard covering

20 Venomous snake

24 Ticker

25 Complaint

27 Highest point

28 To save

29 Bacteria is its capital

30 To the absolute

32 Unit of force

33 Forest grass

37 Knowledge

43 To break suddenly

44 Worm

46 Gleaner

48 Mostly

49 New chapter

51 Father of "The"

52 Mexican coin

53 Female slang for voice

54 Near

56 White

57 Literary

58 Examination of approval

62 Moon

63 Near

64 Near

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**BRYANT POND**

—Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Correspondent—  
**MRS. FRANCES HAYES**

Mrs. Frances Hayes, the only daughter and last surviving child of former U. S. president, Rutherford B. Hayes, died Sunday night at the Marquette home, Lewiston, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Hayes was born Sept. 2, 1876, at Walnut Hill, now a part of Cincinnati, Ohio, the sixth child of her parents. Her father was then an Ohio Congressman and later served as governor of Ohio for three terms.

The family moved to Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, in 1873, but her father was elected the 19th president in 1877, when Fanny was ten years of age. So much of her early life was spent in the Governor's Mansion and in the White House.

She attended private schools after her parents returned to Ohio in 1881.

In 1897 she married Ensign Harry E. Smith of Fremont and her early married life was spent at the Annapolis Naval Academy, where he advanced to the head of the Mathematics department in which he taught.

She was divorced soon after World War I and resumed her maiden name.

Her only son, Dalton, who also dropped the name of Smith, died last January. He served in both World Wars, being wounded in the first war, where he was with the famous Old Fighting 69th of New York. During the last war he was with the Army Intelligence Service in South Africa. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hayes lived in Cuba several years, and there their two daughters were born.

Mrs. Hayes has been a summer resident of Maine for many years, staying with her husband at a cottage at Twitchell Pond, Greenwood, for several seasons. More than twenty years ago she bought one of the oldest houses at Bryant Pond, near Lake Christopher, and had it made into an attractive summer home. The past sixteen winters she has lived at the Marquette home.

Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Corinne Hayes, was with her during her last illness.

Mrs. Hayes is also survived by her two granddaughters, Chloe of Schenectady, N. Y., and Jean of Cambridge, Mass., and by four nephews.

Funeral services will be held at Fremont, Ohio, Friday and burial will be in the family cemetery at Spiegel Grove.

Mrs. Herbert Wheeler is ill at her home with phlebitis.

Mrs. Hazen Emery was taken to the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland, last Thursday, where she is improving after an appendectomy.

Orin Mason went to Boston, Monday and returned home Wednesday, attending the flower show.

Judith Grover Tent 17, D of UV, met at the home of Mrs. Inez Whitman, Tuesday evening, March 14, with ten members present. It was voted to contribute to the Red Cross drive. Following the meeting Beale Dunham and Edith Whitman served sandwiches, cookies and coffee and a social time was enjoyed. The next meeting will be March 28.

Fourteen members of Evergreen Temple, Pythian Sisters, were guests of Lake Temple, Norway, for the supper and meeting, March 15. Readings for the program were given by Mrs. Barbara Hathaway and Past Grand Chancellor Alden Chase.

Mrs. Glynne Brooks, Yarmouth.

**GREENWOOD CITY**

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes and family were in Portland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan called at Carroll Notage's, South Paris, on Sunday.

Joan Tamminen of this town and Phelps Poland of Woodstock were married March 11 by Rev. Alton Verrill. They were given a reception on Saturday evening at the IOOF Hall, at West Paris. Many of the people from here attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bacon at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Olva Hakala were at their home here over the week end. They have been at Shagg Pond all winter.

spent the day Wednesday of last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Noyes.

Mrs. Fannie Ross, Mrs. Elden Hathaway and daughter, Susan, were the dinner guests Friday of Mrs. Randall Williams at Ridlonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hathaway were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Pellerine at Portland.

The Star Birthday Club met at the home of Mrs. Esther Farnum Tuesday evening, with 26 members in attendance. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Edna Newton, Mrs. Edith Hathaway, Mrs. Juanita Allen, Mrs. Edith Littlefield and Mrs. Grace Day. Several guessing contests were enjoyed and refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mrs. Lillian Waterhouse, who has stayed at the Eastland Hotel, Portland, this winter, was in town Friday, the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Chase entertained over the week end their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Faulkner Chase and two children of Farmington.

Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop, Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDowell, North Livermore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard MacKillop, Tuesday March 14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas Thompson, son Peter, and Mr. and Mrs. James Billings were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Whitaker, Berlin, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Curtis, East Lansing, Mich., are spending a short vacation from his studies at the University of Michigan, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirke Stowell.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin A. Bacon of Logansport, Indiana, will be very sorry to hear the sad news that Mrs. Bacon passed on March 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Bacon have spent several summer vacations in this town at Joy Cottage and also at Brookside Cottage on Main St. formerly known as Little Jap. They were here last in 1946, when they spent a few days at Brookside, making trips from here to Norway and also to the coast.

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—Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent—  
 Rev. W. I. Bull conducted the church service at the Town House Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family were callers at W. L. But-ton's at North Waterford, Sunday.

A. A. Bruce observed his 85th birthday on March 12.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews, Mrs. Laura Plakham and Ben Inman were in Rumford Friday.

Sunday visitors at Harlan Bumpus were Mrs. Sarah Andrews, Harry Bumpus and daughter, Cora, and Mrs. Richard Merriam and daughters, Madeline, Margaret and Marilyn.

Rev. W. I. Bull was in this vicinity making calls recently.

The Hilda Ives Class meeting was postponed Saturday because of the snow storm.

A. A. Bruce was in Bethel, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spring.

Kenneth Bumpus spent Monday night with Leo Carroll at Bethel.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wilson (nee Betsy Cummings) on the birth of a son, Tuesday, March 14.

The Albany Farm Bureau met with Mrs. Carrie Logan Wednesday afternoon, March, for an afternoon meeting. Nine members and one visitor were present.

Eye-openers were given by the following members: Mrs. Barbara Inman, "Recipe for Spice Cake"; Mrs. Myrtle Keniston, "Helpful suggestions for preserving newspaper clippings," and "fixing shoes so they won't slip on ice"; Mrs. Lillian Kimball, "Machine Stitches Hem."

Several communications were read by the secretary. It was voted to donate money for the 4-H Style Dress Revue.

The meeting was adjourned. It was turned over to the Clothing Leaders, Mrs. Lillian Kimball and Mrs. Myrtle Keniston, who demonstrated collar and neckline finishes.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Logan.

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—Mrs. L. E. Wight, Correspondent—

A card party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and son, Norman, went to South Bridgton, Sunday, March 12, to see Aunt Frances Davis. They reported her as comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight and children left for Machias Sunday morning after spending two weeks with relatives in Newry, Upton and Rumford.

At the annual town meeting held in Newry on March 6, it was voted that the Selectmen appoint a Road Commissioner and George F. Learned has been appointed for the year.

Daniel Wight and son, Kevin, of Rumford called on his parents, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarvis of Bath are visitors at the home of Roy Bennett. They expect to move into the camp in Newry owned by Mrs. P. M. Walker of Rumford.

Owen Wight was at home from Gould Academy last week with the German measles.

Everett Ferrin and Mrs. L. E. Wight went to Rumford Sunday to see their sister, Mrs. Claude Herick, who is ill.

The regular meeting of Bear River Grange was postponed Saturday night on account of the storm.

Mrs. Herbert Morton is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell, son Charlie, of Locke Mills, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hanscom.

Miss Carrie Wight, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in Massachusetts returned home Tuesday.

An early morning fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wight at Upton. The family lost all their clothes. A new washing machine was saved.

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**UPTON**

—Mrs. O. A. Judkins, Correspondent—

Mrs. Roland Bernier and three children are visiting her sister Mrs. Sidney Abbott of East Sumner, for a few days.

Sidney and Gary Abbott spent the week end at their homes in East Sumner.

Ben Barnett is home from his visit in Rumford.

William and Lewis Barnett of Rumford and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg of South Paris were Sunday guests at the Abbott House.

Donald Barnett of Berlin, N. H., was the guest of his father, James Barnett, over the week end.

School closed Friday last week. The teacher, Mrs. Doris Browne, her daughter, Sandra, with Miss Mary Douglass as guest, went to Portland for the week of vacation.

Miss Ann Douglass is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Dodge, of Gorham, N. H., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Thompson and friends of Natick, Mass., recently spent a few days here at their summer home.

A fire, which started near the oil stove, about 9 A. M. Monday morning, quickly leveled Ben Barnett's house, where Mr. and Mrs. George Wight were living. They were not able to save anything. No one was injured.

**GREENWOOD CENTER**

—Sandra Martin, Correspondent—

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lang of West Paris were callers at Beryl Martin's, Tuesday night.

Rex Martin of Harrison called on Ross Martin, Friday of last week.

Beryl Martin called on Hollis Cushman Thursday, and on Ray Hanscom, Friday.

Beryl Martin was in Bethel, Friday.

Several people in this vicinity were at the school play Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merrill of Bethel spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin.

A bear was tracked in this vicinity recently.

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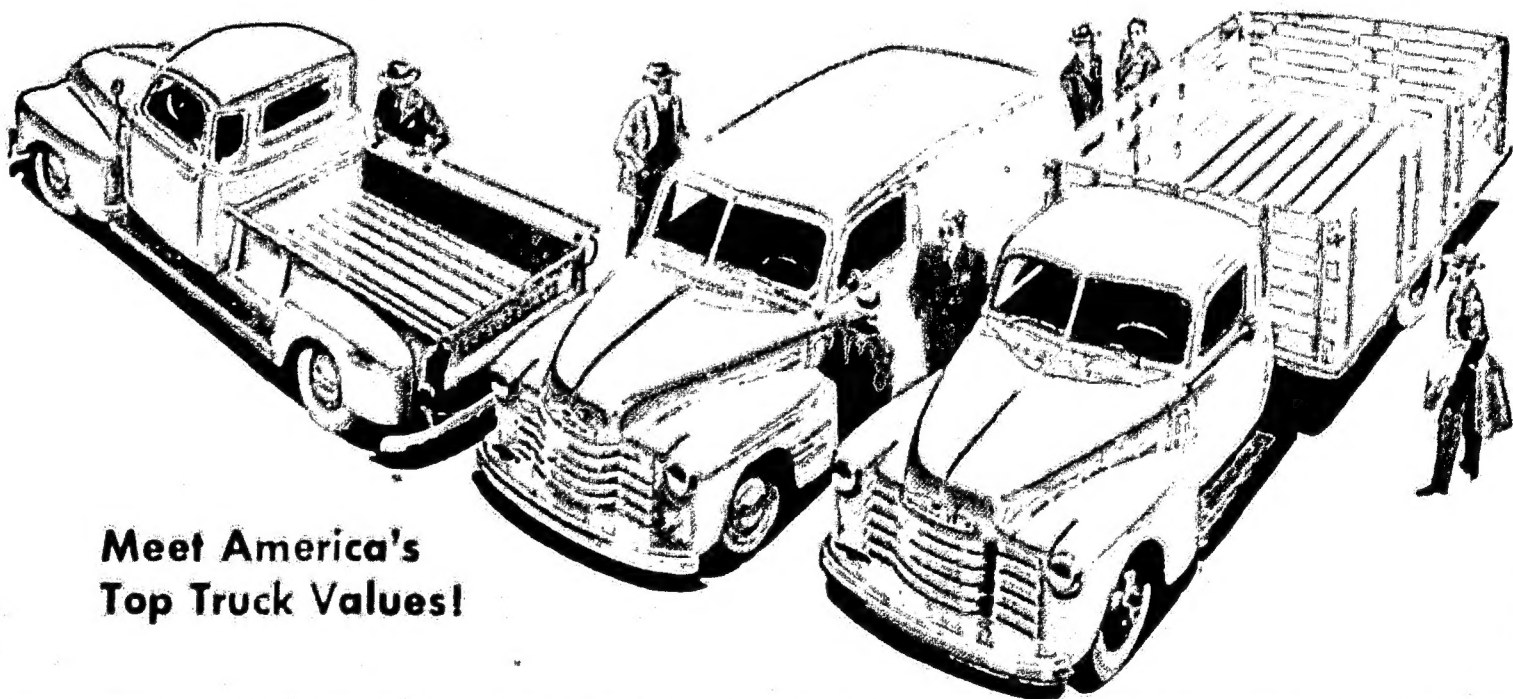
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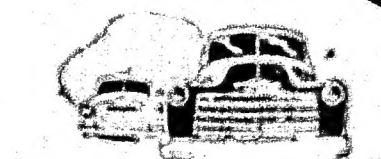
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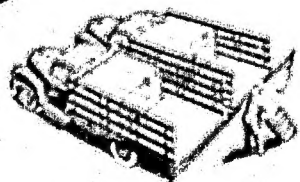
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## ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual—National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

Of late there has been a noticeable change in Mr. Truman's relations with the press. In the words of Marguerite Chiles, "He has come to believe that the press is obstructive, unfair, irresponsible and even, at times, insulting." Evidence of this has been the appearance of a number of President Truman's private press conferences. The importance of these conferences to very great, they are attended by representatives of the radio services, the radio networks, the editors and correspondents of the great dailies which maintain a bureau in the capital. They are, as a result, the source of practically all information concerning the government which reaches the public, aside from occasional speeches and statements by high-level officials and routine departmental handouts.

Matters came to something of a head recently when Mr. Truman gave an exclusive interview to Arthur Hays Sulzberger, chief of the Washington bureau of the New York Times. This, incidentally, was a very long interview, lasting nearly two hours. It was the President's first interview with a newspaperman, and it was a surprise to many who expected that he would break the news of the atomic bomb. The President's attitude toward the press was definitely indicated, and the situation was definitely indicated.

The fight even like an unpleasant little business which will soon blow over and will not be further matter. Many a newspaperman, including some who are generally in sympathy with present administration policies, feel that the President and other top men including Mr. Arthur Hays Sulzberger are not giving the nation as much information as to what is going on as it should have. Mr. Chiles writes, "There is a serious lack of information, and the situation is definitely indicated."

In the same column dated February 21, Mr. Chiles said "Honesty in the future may well be the date of the future of America in the leadership of the western world."

Then, the difficulties between Mr. Truman and the press, and the apparent refusal of Mr. Truman to be frank in giving out news, seem in some way or another with the most serious problems of world peace, of the liberty and security of the West, and of the terrible prospect of another war. Experiments as the first step to there is a feeling of depression and hopelessness in many quarters. The progress that the Soviet Union has made in its general plan of world expansion is greater in all probability than it is generally believed or understood. And it certainly can be strongly argued that the Administration has done relatively little in one light and such places.

It may be that Mr. Truman was stung by the considerable amount of press criticism that greeted his apparent disinclination to call another Big Three meeting—an idea which was advocated by Winston Churchill shortly before the British elections. The President said that the door was always open if anyone wanted to see him, and he went no further. That attitude is understandable in the light of Roosevelt's past deceptions and failures to live up to agreements and particularly agreements of a general nature which can be twisted out of all semblance of reason by cynical interpretations. That consideration also seems to be guiding the policies of Mr. Acheson. Even so, many of the best and most thoughtful publicists in the country feel that the situation is too grave, and the consequences are too horrible that nothing should be left undone that would have even a remote chance of producing a medium of constructive result.

In any event, it can scarcely be denied that Western leadership, as far as the public can see, has been ineffectual in many important areas. The debate in China, whether it could have been prevented or not, is the latest example and one of the worst. And here the charges go beyond the recent past, either nations are wondering how much of the Western powers mean to talk much and do little. No one wants to join in with a loser.

That is the significance of "the tragic drift" of which Mr. Chiles wrote. "Barclay's Bank Review has just totaled up the net savings of England in 1948. The figure comes to \$17,000,000. In 1948, 10 years ago when the money was worth more than \$100,000,000. "Private capital is not forthcoming for Britain's needs because it has been taxed away in the first place and a capital levy tax was used and because in the second place taxes have dried up the source of new capital." — Wall Street Journal.

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2. The poem engraved on the pedestal of the Statue of Liberty is (a) "America, the Beautiful," (b) "The New Colossus," (c) "O Captain, My Captain," (d) "Renaissance."
3. The "great compromiser" in U.S. history was (a) Henry Clay, (b) Daniel Webster, (c) Neville Chamberlain, (d) Franklin Roosevelt.
4. The Alaska highway (Alcan highway) connects Dawson Creek, British Columbia, and (a) Nome, Alaska, (b) Fairbanks, Alaska, (c) Juneau, Alaska, (d) Sitka, Alaska.
5. The ancient city of Pompeii was destroyed by (a) eruption of the volcano Mt. Vesuvius, (b) a tidal wave and earthquake, (c) wind, (d) invading Goths, who sacked and burned the city.

ANSWERS  
1. (c) Argentina.  
2. (b) "The New Colossus."  
3. (c) Clay.  
4. (b) Fairbanks, Alaska.  
5. (a) Eruption of the volcano, Mt. Vesuvius.

SPORTS SHOWS—From page one  
wharf. All types of salt water game fish will be shown. Capt. Earl MacMahon of Edgemoor, and Warden Elmore Wallace of Portland will be on hand to greet the show-visitors. The same exhibit will open at the Waterville Sports Show on March 27th through April 1st. Captain MacMahon and Warden Merle Dobbins of Rockland will handle the information section.

The lighthouse and lobster trap exhibit will be at the Bangor Sports Show from March 27 through April 1st. Wardens Owen Richardson and Ralph Plinkham of Ellsworth, Lester Stubbs of Hampden and Chester Brown of Southwest Harbor will represent the department. All of the exhibits were designed and built by Robert Perry, merchant-fishing head at the Sea and Shore Fisheries Commission.

4-H STYLE SHOW ENTRIES  
Fifty-six girls, representing seventeen 4-H clubs in Oxford County, have enrolled thus far in either the 4-H Style Dress Revue or the Apron and Skirt Revue.

The Apron and Skirt Revue will also be held at South Paris, on April 25, and will undoubtedly be one of the outstanding events of the year with the winners for the senior division competing for state honors at Orono sometime in June. Enrollment by classes is as follows:

Senior Style Dress Revue: Charlotte Lowell, Beverly Norton and Eleanor Carver, Buckfield; Jeanette and Pauline Cobb, East Sumner; Joyce Allanach, Canton Point; Mary Aldrich, Patricia Swallow, Amy Haggood, South Paris; San-

dra Wilcox, Norway; Mary Turner, Paris Hill; Ellen Ellis, and Beverly Billings, Bryant Pond; Rachel Brown, Bethel; Maxine Mills and Pauline Libby, Porter; Mary Coolidge, East Bethel; Rosalie Thomas, Oxford; Jean Brett, Welchville.

Junior Style Dress Revue: Elaine Perry, Julia Lowe, and Marilyn Bonney, Buckfield; Barbara Pen-in and Janet Small, Canton Point; Gail Curtis, Barbara Merrill and Janette Russell, South Paris; Beverly Thayer, Paris Hill; Patricia Coffin, Bryant Pond; Jane Smith, Bethel; Patricia Owens, Helen Everett, Anita Reed and Rosalie Jackson, Oxford; Laurene Britton, South Paris; Mary Douglass, Upton; Esther and Margaret Cary, Bryant Pond.

Apron and Skirt Revue: Muriel Lowe, Judith Fuller, Faith Carver, Janice Marble, Buckfield; Jean Small, Marguerite Campbell, Rita East, Canton Point; Jill Curtis and Janice Decato, South Paris; Claire M. Donald, Porter; Cynthia Tyner, Welchville; Sonia Swinton and Serena Coolidge, East Bethel; Dorene McAllister, Nancy Sanborn, and Laurene Harney, Oxford; Beverly Cyr and Emily Foster, Waterville.

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Grade Eight:  
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Plans are now being worked out for the eighth grade graduation exercises by a committee composed of Mary Kneeland, Jo Anne Horn, Joan Conner, Joan Bennett, Paul Fossitt, Arlan Jodrey, Fred Flint and Lee Merrill.

Pictures of the basketball team and the cheerleaders have been taken by Don Brown and are now being shown throughout the school.

The first Math group is now studying the stock market and keeping records of favorite stocks.

Designing and the construction of many plane figures is being studied by Group 2.

Grade Seven:  
In our recent class meeting the arithmetic fundamentals were talked on, and a contest is to be held between the boys and girls of our room for a period of four weeks, starting March 20. Lillian Lavallee and Eddie Ray Daye are to make the contest slips. The name of the boys team is Jets, and the girls is Fast Fivers.

The Sun Valley Skiers won the spelling contest. The members of this team will get out of school a half hour early, either Thursday or Friday afternoon, March 23 or 24, according to the weather.

A skating party and a sleigh ride was scheduled for Monday night, March 20, for the seventh and eighth grades at the homes of Jane Merrill and Jane Smith.

Book reports were talked on last

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Tuesday.  
We have 22 Maltex box tops. Priscilla Skillings is to send for the games.

Richard Gilman gave sixteen classics to our room.  
Grade Six:  
The sixth grade had class meeting last Friday the 17th.

We had a lot of fun at last semester. We thank Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Lord who were our chaperones. We have started a new spelling contest.

The Portland Sunday Telegram is sponsoring a Spelling Bee for anyone in the 6th, 7th or 8th grade. Beverly Blake is a new girl in our room.

The Bethel Grammar School has been selling PTA Frolic tickets. Grade Five:

The seventh grade invited us up to a play on St. Patrick's Day. We enjoyed it very much.

We chose new captains for a spelling contest. They are Howard Gunther and Dennis Robertson.

We voted in class meeting to send Marion Buck either a card or a letter.

We are planning to send her a Sunshine Box.

We are going to have a week's vacation after the twenty-fourth.

**BOND SALES AHEAD OF 1949**  
Sales in Maine of U S Savings Bonds during the first two months of 1950 were 13 per cent ahead of sales for the same period in 1949, according to an announcement just released by the U S Savings Bond Division.

Total Sales of E, F, and G Bonds amounted to \$3,735,633 in January and February this year, as compared to \$3,078,636 in those months last year, an increase of \$657,000.

### 28 DIVORCES GRANTED AT MARCH COURT

The March term of Superior Court at Rumford adjourned on Tuesday of last week.

Dr. Sylvio Hebert of East Weymouth, Mass., formerly of Rumford, who pleaded nolo contendere to the charge of negligent shooting of Emilie Chabot of Mexico, was fined \$500. Chabot died shortly after he was shot while dragging a deer out of the woods at Roxbury Pond.

Marion Hardy of Canton pleaded guilty to forgery and was sentenced to two to four years at the women's reformatory. Udell Hardy, her husband, who pleaded nolo to uttering checks, received a sentence of two to four years at prison.

Edwin Gray of Oxford pleaded nolo contendere to forgery and was ordered to serve from one to two years in prison.

Mrs. Thomas Matta was sentenced to serve one to two years in prison after pleading nolo to a charge of forgery.

Glen R. Jones of Windham pleaded guilty to breaking, entering and larceny and was sentenced to the men's reformatory. Sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for two years.

Edwin Jemery of Windham pleaded guilty to the same charge and was sentenced to one to two years in prison.

Waldo Kyllonen of Jay, who pleaded guilty to larceny of cattle, was sentenced to serve one to two years in prison.

John Clouthier of Rumford pleaded guilty to attempt to commit larceny, was sentenced to serve nine months in jail.

**Divorces**  
Cruel and abusive treatment: Myrtle Irene Andrews vs. Vernal F. Andrews, both of Sumner; Ruth Jane Clark, Stow, vs. Burton Parks Clark, El Paso, Texas; Arthur G. Kerr, Mexico, vs. Bessie Kroullock Hicks Kerr, Sedalia, Mo.; Beverly J. Hodgdon vs. Charles R. Hodgdon, Fryeburg; Vera J. Ruff, Rumford, vs. Theodore J. Ruff, Lewiston; Laura L. Dudley, Stoneham, vs. Perlen A. Dudley, Norway; Marie Eva Perry vs. Robert W. Perry, Norway; Ruth E. Allen vs. Melvin Allen, Norway; Ella Blanche St. Pierre vs. Orel St. Pierre, Mexico; Ethelyn Edwards, Rumford, vs. William Edwards Jr., Auburn; Rita Brown, Dorchester, Mass., vs. Harold Brown, Rumford; Alfreda Bernard vs. George Bernard, Rumford; Carroll Yates vs. Marjorie Yates, Woodstock; Rose B. Penley, Stoneham, vs. Carlton L. Penley, Fryeburg; Minnie E. Selge vs. Henry M. Selge, Mexico; Virginia D. Ransley, Paris, vs. Thomas A. Ransley, Troy, N. Y.; Theresa Locke vs. George Locke, Rumford; Ella Beth Dineen, Mexico, vs. Albert Dineen, Saugus, Mass.; Natalie H. Carey vs. Albert S. Carey, Paris; Christine J. McLaughlin vs. Howard R. McLaughlin, Rumford; Herschel O. Knight vs. Barbara N. Knight, Rumford; Vera S. Schultz vs. Robert Schultz, Woodstock; June S. Gay, Paris, vs. Thomas E. Gay, Jr., Bridgton; Sylvio C. Ross vs. Alma Ross, Rumford; Margaret Rumford,

### EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Correspondent  
Miss Marie Mills of Bethel was a week end guest of Miss Shirley Bartlett.

Mrs. J. C. Bartlett will entertain at a card party, Saturday evening, for the benefit of the women's Farm Bureau. Whist and 63 will be played.

Cynthia Coolidge, Robert Curtis, and Lillian Brooks have been ill with the German measles this week.

Miss Adelle Kimball was home from Rumford Center for the week end.

Mrs. Robert Hastings will entertain at a Canasta Party Saturday evening for the benefit of the women's Farm Bureau.

Ed Kelly went to the CMG Hospital in Lewiston for surgery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foss and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball of Lewiston were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes, Sunday. School will close Friday for a week's vacation.

### LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

You know folks this Mr. Samuel Rayburn—Speaker of the U S A House—if that old boy does not watch his step he is liable to wind up in the White House as the first Loughorn Pres. of this noble USA. Texas has always been out in the cold, as presidents go, but with the nation in a mood and wailing at the mouth for a chance to vote for a guy with vertebrae, that grand and wide country of the Lone Star may not have too long to wait.

How come, says Henry. Well, I says, the paper tells about a "hen-party" that called on Speaker Rayburn, clamoring for Federal dinero for education—were beating the drum for bigger and bigger swimming pools, etc. Well, Speaker Sam, old boy, stood his ground—that was the Texas in him. Says he, look here, gals, I have taught school. I did not lobby for more money. I was not down in the month sorry for myself, I was not back, and on top of that, he says, once you start handing out Texas coin of the realm, better shudder as aid to education, you get federal control, sure as shootin', and same is bad medicine.

Brethren and sisters, vertebrae is what Speaker Sam has—vertebrae is not yet completely extinct or a museum piece—anyway not in Texas.

Yours with the low down,  
JO SERRA

B. Ethridge, Norway, vs. Nathan C. Ethridge, Milton Plantation; Frank J. Gastringer vs. Mary J. H. Carey vs. Albert S. Carey, Paris; Christine J. McLaughlin vs. Howard R. McLaughlin, Rumford; Herschel O. Knight vs. Barbara N. Knight, Rumford; Vera S. Schultz vs. Robert Schultz, Woodstock; June S. Gay, Paris, vs. Thomas E. Gay, Jr., Bridgton; Sylvio C. Ross vs. Alma Ross, Rumford; Margaret Rumford,

### GILEAD

Mrs. Florence Holden, Correspondent  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole has returned home Monday from St. Augustine, Fla., after spending several weeks there.

Robert Chapman is working for Mrs. Ruth Carver Ames at Bethel. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bullock and family of Warren, R. I., have moved into the Wheeler rent.

Harlan Kimball, who has been cutting wood for Dan Coriveau for several months has completed his duties there and moved this week to Swain's camp in Skillings-ton.

Edward Quinn and L. J. Roberts have gone to Berlin, N. H., to resume their duties as brakemen on the Canadian National Railroad.

Raymond Holden was a visitor in Portland one day last week.

### LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent  
The Community Club met at the school building last Tuesday evening for the regular meeting with 10 members and one visitor present. No new business was discussed and old business matters were postponed to a later meeting. The secretary was instructed to write letters of appreciation to the fire departments that participated at the fire on February 26. Several games were enjoyed with Mary Hazelton and Constance Coolidge winning prizes. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, coffee and tea were served. Cora Bennett and Florence Ring were appointed to serve on the refreshment committee for the next meeting, and Josephine Batlett and Betty Parker were appointed to serve on the entertainment committee.

The teachers and pupils of the Locke Mills school should be complimented on the fine plays that were presented at the town hall last Thursday evening. The two one-act plays "The Old Sleuth" and "Bargains in Hair Cuts" were very much enjoyed as was the singing before the plays and between plays. A social followed the entertainment and refreshments were sold. Mrs. Kenneth Wakefield and little son of Lovell have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford, Mrs. Ernest Mason and Mrs. Herbert

### NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bachelder have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. James Duran.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harvey and children, Rumford, visited with her sister, Mrs. George Learned, Sunday.

Elaine Clifford spent Saturday with Patricia Learned.

The Home and School Club held a Whist Party at the home of Mrs. Roy Tripp, Friday night.

William Ball is home for a week visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers and children returned home Wednesday after spending a few weeks with her mother in Sunnyfield, Kansas.

Mason were at the CMG hospital last Thursday to see Ernest Cole who is a patient there. Mr. Cole submitted to surgery the first of the week.

Robert Mason, returned to his home from the Rumford hospital last week. Edward Chase is still a patient there.

LeRoy Martin, Jr., has returned to the home of Norwood Ford, where he is boarding after visiting with his mother, Mrs. Lawrence Towle and family at Auburn.

Mrs. Mary O'Jea returned to her home at Bronx, N. Y., last week after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Leland Dunham and family.

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Keep ribbons, edgings and tapes on their cards in a covered box so they cannot get tangled in your sewing box.

Sewing machines should be oiled after about six hours of use to keep them in perfect working condition. Oil cloths for the kitchen table are easily mended by placing ad-

## "I REMEMBER"

BY THE OLD TIMERS



From the Old-Timer of Frankfort, Ky.: "I remember when a vacuum cleaner looked like this. It must have taken up most of the space in the storage closet. It took a strong woman, using both hands, to push it over the rug. Who else remembers this?"

From E. E. Meredith of Fairmont, W. Va.: "I remember when the wealth of parents was judged by the earrings on their little girl. The well-to-do family provided gold adornments. That was when piercing the earlobes was in vogue. The lobes were pinched between the thumb and forefinger, then a sharp needle threaded with silk was run through it. The wound was allowed to heal before the earrings were inserted."

From H. D. Hensar of Chubbuck, Ind.: "I remember 'way back when just a small boy, I went with my father to the old mill pond to see the farmers wash their sheep. In the spring, just before shearing time, they would drive their flocks to the pond and, one at a time, the sheep would be taken into the water and given a bath to remove the dirt and oil from their fleeces. The wool brought a better price when so treated."

From John Foxton of Schuette, Okla.: "I remember when my father sheared the sheep and Mother carded and spun the wool on an old fashioned spinning wheel and knitted us socks, mittens and other articles of clothing. She also made tallow candles."

Everyone in Maine is welcome to attend the annual Farm and Home Week program at the University of Maine in Orono.

Professor Maurice D. Jones, of Orono, has been chairman of the Farm and Home Week Committee for some 20 years.

## THE MIDDLES . . . . . By Bob Karp



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## SUCCESSFUL PARENTHOOD

By  
MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS  
Associate Editor  
Parents Magazine

LAST WEEK we brought you some pointers on how to help a child who is having difficulty in learning to read. We hope we made it clear that this is a very common problem, but to emphasize its universality, we'd like to tell you about a booklet prepared for parents by the board of education of the Denver public schools.

It is called "There's More to Reading than Meets the Eye," and the first thing parents are told is that all children are different—children don't cut their teeth at the same age—they don't all weigh the same at the same age—they don't all measure the same at the same age—some learn to read more quickly than others. (We might add, that the eye muscles don't always acquire the ability to focus on the printed page at the same age.)

The pamphlet contrasts the way Grandma learned to read by bringing her reader home and reading aloud a story she had read many times, with the way her grandchild, Timothy, learns to read today.

Timothy is in the first grade this year. He has already read many books—not just one reader. He has learned none of them by heart. But he knows enough words now to start reading a story book on his own. He reads books that are new to him much better than did the children of Grandmother's day.

The pamphlet explains that Timothy may exhibit boredom with the old-fashioned technique of becoming acquainted with the shortest words possible, such as—"I saw a cat, I saw a dog." Today's child starts with things that really

interest him. He learns quickly—automobile, engine, airplane. Teach him words that really interest him, and you'll find that reading is right down his alley. They may even be such long words as caterpillar and elephant.

But Denver doesn't stop with explaining methods of teaching reading. The pamphlet emphasizes that we have not taught our children to read if their reading means only recognition of words and sentences and paragraphs. We have taught them to read only if:

Their behavior and attitudes are improved as a result of their reading—they can think—they can choose books wisely and with taste—they admit two or more sides to a question and include them in their reading—they can detect propaganda—they turn to books for recreation as well as education—reading is really part of their living—they find help for their own problems in reading of the problems of others—they believe in democracy and are dedicated to its perpetuation.

The pamphlet goes on to tell how the child gets acquainted with books, learns the alphabet about the time the telephone directory becomes necessary to him, perhaps in the third grade.

By the time he's in the sixth grade, he has learned simple literary procedures. He has learned that books are friends; he reads them for fun, for information, for help with his own problems. And he grows in understanding the world and the people around him as he reads of life and people in other cities, other states, and other lands.

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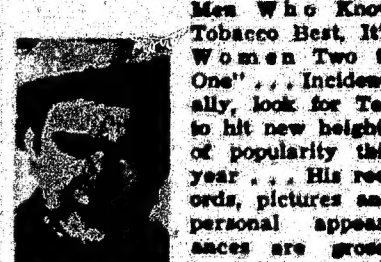
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## THE STARS

BY LYNN CONNELLY

COWBOY STAR Tex Williams, who first introduced the famous "Smoke, Smoke, Smoke," has come up with another song which promises to be a hit . . . It's "With Men Who Know Tobacco Best, It's Women Two to One" . . . Incidentally, look for Tex to hit new heights of popularity this year . . . His records, pictures and personal appearances are growing big and his radio and TV shows are getting a solid rating with west coast listeners . . . It is hinted that his video show will be kinescoped for national release shortly.



Joan Davis smokes a pipe for the first—and what she hopes is the last—time, for a scene in Columbia's "The Travelling Saleswoman" . . . The comedienne gets involved with a wild tribe of Apache Indians in the comedy and as a gesture of friendliness has to take deep drag on a peace pipe . . . Each time the actress tried to inhale and exhale, the flame died down . . . They tried it five times before the pipe worked smoothly and at the scene's conclusion Joan looked a little green around the gills . . . "I felt like a glass blower," she said. "Next time I make peace with anybody on the screen, I hope it's over a table, not a clogged pipe."

CLATTER CHATTER  
CAPITOL: One of the snappiest numbers in recent years and one that ought to be a smash hit is "They Talk a Different Language," or better known as the "Vocal Blues" . . . Johnny Mercer, who wrote it, performs it with Jo Bonford in a swingy arrangement that old and young alike will love . . . "It's Great to Be Alive," will back it.

Clark Dennis does a beautiful rendition of the stirring "Lord's Prayer," with "The End of a Perfect Day" on the reverse . . . And Kay Starr hits with a torchy 94-ly, "Game of Broken Hearts" . . . "Tell Me How Long the Train's Been Gone" is on the flip.

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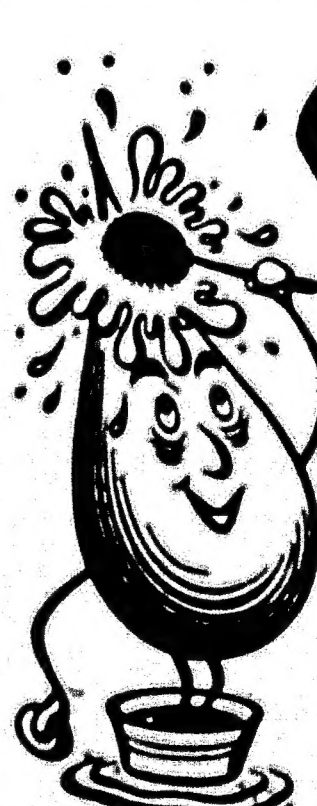
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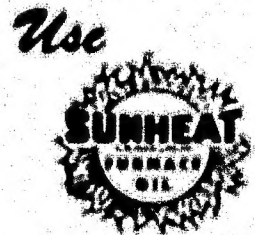
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# **PUBLIC NOTICE** **STATE OF MAINE** **Registration and Licensing of Dogs** (Chapter 28, Sections 8 to 14, Revised Statutes of 1949, As Amended by P. L. 1949, 1947, 1949.)

Assessors to Make Lists of All Dogs; Returns to Clerks of Cities and Towns and to Commissioner of Agriculture.

Section 8. Assessors of taxes shall include in their inventories, lists of all dogs 6 months old or over owned or kept by any inhabitant on the 1st day of April, setting the number and sex thereof opposite the names of their respective owners or keepers, and shall make returns to the clerks of their respective cities or towns and to the commissioner of agriculture or his authorized agent of such lists on or before the 15th day of June following.

The commissioner of agriculture or his authorized agent shall, on or before the 1st day of September of each year report to the treasurer of state the number of dogs by sex, the number of dogs reported killed, and the number of kennels found in each city or town, together with the amount due the state for dog licenses, on which amount he shall allow credit for all dogs reported killed.

The treasurer of state shall notify the municipal officers of each city or town before October 1st of each year of the amount due the state for dog licenses, on which amount he shall allow credit for all dogs reported killed.

If any city or town fails to remit to the treasurer of state on or before October 15, of each year a sum of money equal to the licenses required by sections 8 to 14, inclusive, on all dogs living on the 1st day of June preceding, such delinquency shall be added to the state tax of such delinquent city or town for the following year.

**Dogs to be Registered Annually.**

Section 9. On or before the 1st day of April of each year the owner or keeper of any dog 6 months old or over shall apply to the city or town clerk either orally or in writing for a license for such dog owned or kept by him. Such application shall state the breed, sex, color, and markings of such dog and the name and address of the last previous owner.

A fee of 50¢ shall be paid the city or town clerk for each license issued on male dogs, and a fee of \$4.00 shall be paid for all female dogs capable of bearing young. All female dogs shall be considered capable of producing young unless a certificate issued by the commissioner of agriculture and signed by a licensed veterinarian, or previous license record, is presented from a licensed veterinarian stating that such female was made incapable of bearing young by spaying by him. When such certificate accompanies the application, a fee of 25¢ shall then be paid on such application. In addition to the amount paid for license and tag, each applicant shall pay the city or town clerk 25¢ for the recording and making a return to the commissioner of agriculture.

Such licenses shall be made in triplicate, the original copy shall be mailed to the commissioner of agriculture, 1 copy given to the person applying for the license, and 1 copy retained by the city or town clerk.

A suitable tag showing the year such license is issued and bearing such other data as the commissioner of agriculture may prescribe shall be given with each license and must be securely attached to a leather or suitable collar which must be worn at all times by the dog for which the license was issued and it shall be unlawful for any person to remove such tag or to place either collar or tag on any dog not described or for which the license was not issued.

Returns from clerks of cities, towns, and plantations showing all licenses issued by them together with a correct report showing the total number of dogs in "both sexes" found by the city or town assessors and the number of dogs killed shall be made to the commissioner of agriculture not later than the 1st day of July each year. All license blanks and tags shall be furnished by the commissioner of agriculture. The representative of the department of agriculture in charge of animal husbandry shall be known as the animal husbandry specialist and the assistant animal husbandry specialist, and shall devote their time to the carrying out of the provisions of the dog licensing laws and the adjustment of claims for damages to livestock by dogs and wild animals, and to the promotion of animal husbandry within the state. The expense of furnishing the above-mentioned blanks and tags, and the necessary clerk hire and travel and the salary of the animal husbandry specialist and the assistant animal husbandry specialist shall be paid from the funds received from the licensing of dogs; provided, however, that money is hereby appropriated out of the dog license receipts for the purposes of this section.

Any person becoming the owner or keeper of a dog after the 1st day of April, not duly licensed as herein required, shall, within 10 days after he becomes the owner or keeper of said dog, cause said dog to be described and licensed as provided above.

Every owner or keeper of dogs, kept for breeding purposes, may receive annually a kennel license authorizing him to keep said dogs for said purpose, provided he keep said dogs within a proper enclosure; and provided further, that such special kennel license shall permit such owner, keeper or authorized agent to transport under control and supervision said dogs to and from places of exhibition within or without the state. When the number of dogs so kept does not exceed the fee for such license shall be \$9.00, and in addition 25¢ for each such license as a fee for recording and making the return required by law; and no fees shall be required for the owner of such owner or keeper under the age of six months.

Dogs covered by kennel license shall be exempted from the provisions of this section requiring registration, numbering and collaring.

Sec. 9-A. Inspection and regulation of dog kennels, 1949, c. 314. The commissioner of agriculture or his authorized representative, or any humane agent, police officer or dog officer, within his jurisdiction upon complaint may at any time inspect or cause to be inspected any kennel licensed pursuant to the provisions of the preceding section, and if in their or his judgment the same is not being maintained in a sanitary and humane manner or if the record required by law is not properly kept, such representative, police officer, or dog officer shall make complaint to the commissioner of agriculture, setting forth conditions and irregularities complained of, a copy of which complaint shall be given to the licensee, owner or operator of said kennel either in person or by registered mail; whereupon the commissioner of agriculture shall appoint a time and place for hearing, not less than 48 hours after the filing of said complaint, and if after hearing, the allegations of said complaint are found true, said commissioner shall by order revoke or suspend such kennel license until such licensee shall give satisfactory evidence of full compliance with all provisions of law and regulations for humane treatment, protection and sanitation of said dogs and kennels.

For a second offense under the provisions of this section, the kennel license shall be permanently revoked.

**Duty of Clerks.**

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Ellis Wheeler Wilcox wrote: So many gods, so many creeds, So many paths that wind and wind, When just the art of being kind Is all the law and world needs.

Paul the Apostle told the Corinthians:

Though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing. . . Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away. . . And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.

There is nothing to do with men but to love them; to contemplate their virtues with admiration, their faults with pity and forbearance, and their injuries with forgiveness. — Dewey.

## Diplomacy Is Among Nations

Christian Science Monitor, Mar. 18  
A decision of profound historical importance is shaping in Washington over the question whether the post vacated by Myron Taylor as the American President's personal representative to the Vatican should be refilled, discontinued, or replaced by a regular envoy of permanent status.

This newspaper has stated reasons which seem to it convincing why the mission, begun in wartime as a "temporary" expedient, should be positively ended. On this we are in accord with the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, which recently protested that "the maintenance of diplomatic relations with the Vatican confers on one church a special status not held by other churches in relation to government."

The basis of diplomatic representation under the American constitutional tradition of separation of church and state is an exchange of envoys between sovereign governments to deal with civil affairs (in this sense the Vatican state is smaller in area and population than municipalities to which the United States does not send even a consul).

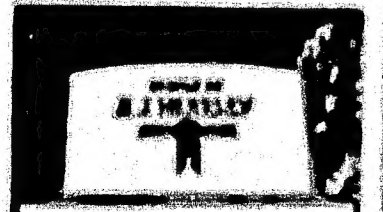
Is it then implied that the Holy See should be recognized as the head of a religious organization claiming millions of adherents in various lands already represented by ambassadors and ministers in Washington? To do so would be to confuse the basis of representation.

No one seriously urges that since our diplomatic relations be sent to the leaders of other numerically important religions in the world— Mohammedans, Buddhists, the Eastern Orthodox, Episcopalians, Lutherans or other churches. To add such a department of diplo-

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# Years Ago

19 YEARS AGO

Elmer Bean accepted the position of night watchman in the Village Corporation.

Installation of officers of Squadron 81, Sons of the American Legion, was held at the Bethel Grange Hall.

20 YEARS AGO

Mumps were prevalent in Bethel village, especially among Academy students.

Several from Bethel attended the opening game of the Bates tournament at Lewiston when Gould was defeated by Cheverus High School of Portland, 51-28.

Mr and Mrs William Hutchinson entertained a party of 18 on their 20th wedding anniversary.

26 YEARS AGO

Bethel town meeting was adjourned a week because of the weather and poor traveling. The pay of the selectmen was increased to \$3.50 and the road commissioner to \$5.00 per day. It was voted to sell the corn shop property to F J Tyler for \$1500.

The Maine Department of Health stated that at least 10 years had been added to the span of human life in the preceding 60 years.



**"NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS"**—The meek little lion cub, one-third of litter born at Franklin Park Zoo (Boston), gets close-up of his mama's dental armament as she shows her resentment at being photographed.

macy would point up the confusion involved.

It is urged that the Vatican is important as the information-gathering center of a vast organization engaged in struggle with a common opponent, communism. But the United States Government can still receive all the information the Vatican wishes to give without maintaining an ambassador as intermediary, and can oppose communism the more effectively by reaffirming its long-held principles against the mixing of statecraft with ecclesiasticism.

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# CHURCH ACTIVITIES

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Rev. F. Ernest Smith, Pastor

The Pastor of the Methodist Church will speak at the morning service next Sunday on "Companionship with Jesus."

Sunday School at 9:45 and Youth Fellowship at 6:30 P. M.

Choir practice Thursday at 7:00 in the vestry.

The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at the Palm Sunday service, April 2, and the Reception of Members, Easter morning. All desiring baptism for themselves or their children should contact the pastor within the next few days. Special instruction for Church Membership will be given during Holy Week, April 2 to 9, the hours to be announced.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister

The Church School will meet at nine-thirty on Sunday.

"Dust on the King's Highway" will be the topic of the Pastor's sermon Sunday morning, at the regular hour of divine worship, eleven o'clock.

Fellowship meeting, Thursday evening at seven in the Chapel.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**

The Lesson-Sermon used in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, is available to everyone who desires to study it.

Golden Text: Since the beginning of the world men have not heard, nor perceived by the ear, neither hath eye seen, O God, beside thee, what he hath prepared for him that waiteth for him" (Isaiah 64:4).

**MARRIED**

March 14, by Rev Alton Verrill, Phelps Poland of Woodstock and Miss Joan Tamminen of Greenwood.

**DIED**

In Lewiston, March 19, Mrs Frances Hayes of Bryant Pond, aged 82 years.

In Bethel, March 22, Dana C Philbrook, aged 78 years.

**For Everyday Use . . .**

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day, winding up with the annual dairymen's supper that evening. Professor D. W. Baker, of Cornell University; W. H. Riddell and L. H. Smith of the University of Vermont; and T. G. Sitts, of Boston, are among the speakers. On Thursday morning, the Maine Livestock Breeders' sessions will feature Gavin McKerrow, dairy farmer from Pownance, Wisconsin, and Hilton Boynton, Extension dairyman at the University of New Hampshire. The various Maine dairy breed associations will hold luncheon meetings.

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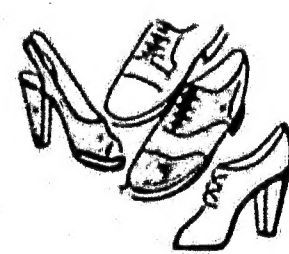
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